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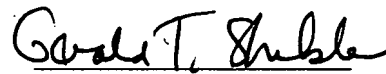
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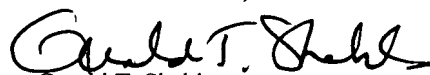
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Dear Sir:

Applicant does not understand how the reply filed on October 22, 2007 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action. Applicant herein repeats its statement of October 22, 2007, that it elects the embodiment of Claim 1. To be more specific: Applicant elects the species set forth in Claim 1. Applicant considers this to be a full response to the Office Actions of November 1, 2007 and October 11, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,
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